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~ [X]	This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:				
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division of and claims the benefit of U.S. Application No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_\_, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference.--

Enclosed are:

[I] [X] 37 sheets of [X] formal [] informal drawings; 53 pages of specification including description, claims and abstract; [X] title page.

[X] A copy of the recorded assignment to Symphonix Devices, Inc.

[] A [] signed [] unsigned Declaration & Power of Attorney.

[X] A copy of [X] signed [] unsigned Declaration.
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[X] Please cancel claims 12-22

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(f), Applicant requests deferral of the filing fee until submission of the Missing Parts of Application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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